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The Honduran-American community makes valuable contributions for the benefit of all residents in the County of Los Angeles. Through their hard work and dedication, Honduran-Americans in the County exert great leadership in a multitude of areas including education, economic development, public policy and athletics. As a newer immigrant group, Honduran-Americans have quickly adapted to the customs and traditions of the United States while enriching American diversity with their own history, fine arts, cuisine, dance and other cultural contributions.

As a leader in the area of diversity, it is imperative that the County of Los Angeles continue to support the Honduran-American community in their quest for greater assimilation, while simultaneously recognizing their contributions and advances in the United States.

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KNABE	_____
ANTONOVICH	_____
YAROSLAVSKY	_____

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**I THEREFORE MOVE THAT THE BOARD OF SUPERVISORS** join the Honduran-American community's nationwide celebration by declaring October 3<sup>rd</sup> 2007 as Honduran-American Day ("el Dia del Hondureño-Americano) throughout the County of Los Angeles; and

**I FURTHER MOVE THAT THIS BOARD** commend "Hondureños Unidos Los Angeles" (HULA) for its outstanding work and dedication to assisting Honduran immigrants in their quest for assimilation in the United States, while contributing to the rich cultural diversity benefiting all residents throughout the County of Los Angeles.

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